## **High School Game**

| Grade Level           | Eighth   |
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| Minimum Time Required | 40 Minutes   |
| Materials/Resources   | "Where Do I Stand Today?" worksheet "The High School Game" worksheet "High School Registration/Course Description" booklet |
| Subject Area(s)       | Guidance   |

## **Project Description:**

- 1. Have students complete the "Where Do I Stand Today?" worksheet. Discuss with the students.
- Hand out the High School Registration/Course Description booklet to each student. Have them
  complete the "The High School Game" worksheet.
  (This worksheet was developed specifically for Wessington Springs School District. You will
  need to modify for your particular school district.)

| Career Development Standard  | Understanding the process of career planning.                  |  |
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| Career Development Indicator | Demonstrate knowledge of academic and school-to-work           |  |
|                              | transition opportunities offered at the high school level.     |  |
| Delivery Level               | Introductory   |  |
| Academic Standards           |  |  |
| Languago Arta                | 2.4.a Write to clarify what is known about various topics.     |  |
| Language Arts                | 2.4.b Write to synthesize, interpret, and use new information. |  |
|                              | Basic Skills   |  |
| Employability/SCANS Skills   | Thinking Skills  |  |
|                              | Using Information  |  |
| Assessment Rubric            | Students will be evaluated on the completed worksheets.        |  |

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## Where Do I Stand Today?

- 1. I know what job/career I want to pursue after high school graduation.
- 2. I know the career cluster in which this job/career is classified.
- 3. I know what classes I need to take in high school to be prepared for this job/career
- 4. I know what additional education beyond high school is needed to be prepared for this job/career.
- 5. I know what a credit is.
- 6. I know what classes are required at Wessington Springs High School to graduate.
- 7. I know what it takes to be a Regents Scholar.
- 8. I know what is required to enter a Board of Regents University in South Dakota.
- 9. I know how many courses I must take at WSHS each year.
- 10. I know what an elective course is.

## The High School Game

When will you graduate?

How many credits do you need to graduate?

What is a credit?

How many English credits are required to graduate?

How many science credits are required to graduate?

How many mathematics credits are required to graduate?

How many social studies credits are required to graduate?

How many computer science credits are required to graduate?

How many fine arts credits are required to graduate?

What courses are required of an 11<sup>th</sup> grade student?

How many elective credits do you need to take to graduate?

What courses are required of a 9<sup>th</sup> grade student?

What courses are required of a 10<sup>th</sup> grade student?

What courses are required of a 12<sup>th</sup> grade student?